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In re U.S. Patent No. 6,932,273

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Application No. 10/762,132

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For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS TO PREVENT REPORTING MULTIPLE READS  
OF OPTICAL CODED ITEMS**

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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**  
**UNDER 37 CFR 1.322 and 1.323**

Several errors on the part of Applicant and the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office appear in the above-identified U.S. Patent No. 6,932,273. It is submitted that the errors are typographical or minor in character and correction of the errors does not entail changes that would introduce new matter into or would require reexamination of the patent.

Patentees request a Certificate of Correction making the changes specified on the accompanying one (1) sheet of Form PTO/SB/44.

The exact locations where the errors appear in the patent and patent application are as follows:

**Column 3**

Line 29 (Application paragraph 18, line 9), delete period after "Magellan®".

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**Column 6**

Line 53. (Claim 25, line 3), insert --the-- before "host".

**Column 7**

Line 13 (Claim 27, line 4), insert --a-- between "reading" and "tag".

**Column 7**

Line 17 (Claim 27, line 9), after "plurality of delay", change "time" to --times--.

**Column 9**

Line 24 (Claim 33, line 9), insert --reading-- between "subsequent" and "of".

**REMARKS**

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